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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: LIQUIDATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR 1998 EXPORTS OF CONTRUCTION CASTINGS FROM BRAZIL(C-351-504) AND STAPLE FIBER FROM SWEDEN (C-401-056)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE ENFORCEMENT & CONTROL

RE: LIQUIDATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR 1998 EXPORTS OF CONTRUCTION CASTINGS FROM BRAZIL(C-351-504) AND STAPLE FIBER FROM SWEDEN (C-401-056)

- THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE DID NOT RECEIVE A REQUEST FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDERS ON CERTAIN HEAVY IRON CONSTRUCTION CASTINGS FROM BRAZIL (C-351-504) AND VISCOSE RAYON STAPLE FIBER FROM SWEDEN (C-401-056) FOR THE PERIOD 01/01/98 - 12/31/98.
- 2. CERTAIN BRAZILIAN HEAVY IRON CONSTRUCTION CASTINGS (C-351-504) ARE DEFINED AS MANHOLE COVERS, RINGS AND FRAMES; CATCH BASIN GRATES AND FRAMES AND CLEANOUT COVERS AND FRAMES.

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THIS PRODUCT IS CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE UNDER HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULES (HTS) ITEM NUMBER 7325.10.00.

VISCOSE RAYON STAPLE FIBER FROM SWEDEN (C-401-056) COVERS SHIPMENTS FROM SWEDEN OF REGULAR VISCOSE RAYON STAPLE FIBER AND HIGH-WET MODULUS (MODAL) VISCOSE RAYON STAPLE FIBER. SUCH MERCHANDISE IS CLASSIFIABLE UNDER ITEM NUMBER 5504.10.00 OF THE HTS.

- 3. THEREFORE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 351.212(C) OF THE COMMERCE REGULATIONS, YOU ARE TO ASSESS COUNTERVAILING DUTIES AT RATES EQUAL TO THE CASH DEPOSIT OF ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES REQUIRED AT THE TIME OF ENTRY SUMMARY ON THE SPECIFIED SUBJECT MERCHANDISE EXPORTED ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 1998 AND ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 1998.
- 4. THE RATES OF ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES WHICH WERE REQUIRED TO BE DEPOSITED ARE:

MANUFACTURERS CASE NUMBER PERIOD RATE

CONSTRUCTION CASTINGS FROM BRAZIL
ALL FIRMS C-351-504 01/01/98-12/31/98 ZERO%

RAYON STAPLE FIBER FROM SWEDEN
ALL FIRMS C-401-056 01/01/98 - 12/31/98 ZERO%

5. THE ASSESSMENT OF COUNTERVAILING DUTIES BY THE CUSTOMS SERVICE ON SHIPMENTS OR ENTRY SUMMARIES OF THIS MERCHANDISE IS SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 778 OF THE TARIFF ACT OF 1930. SECTION 778 REQUIRES THAT CUSTOMS PAY INTEREST ON OVERPAYMENTS, OR ASSESS INTEREST ON UNDERPAYMENTS, OF THE REQUIRED AMOUNTS DEPOSITED AS ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES. THE INTEREST PROVISIONS ARE NOT APPLICABLE TO BONDS POSTED AS ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES BEFORE THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER. INTEREST SHALL BE CALCULATED FROM THE DATE OF PAYMENT OF ESTIMATED

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COUNTERVAILING DUTIES THROUGH THE DATE OF LIQUIDATION. THE RATE AT WHICH SUCH INTEREST IS PAYABLE IS THE RATE IN EFFECT UNDER SECTION 6621 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954 FOR SUCH PERIOD.

- 6. THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION ORDERED FOR THIS MERCHANDISE EXPORTED ON OR BEFORE 12/31/98 IS LIFTED FOR COUNTERVAILING DUTY PURPOSES. SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION FOR ALL ENTRY SUMMARIES OF THIS MERCHANDISE EXPORTED AFTER 12/31/98 WILL CONTINUE.
- 7. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT VIA EMAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY LIAISON, USING THE ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT GAYLE LONGEST OF THE OFFICE OF CVD/AD ENFORCEMENT VI, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, (202) 482-2786.
- 8. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

PAUL SCHWARTZ

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party